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AMEND Senate Bill No. 15

House Bill No. 7*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 2, Part 6, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

If a county experiences a county-wide health emergency, including, without limitation, a statewide declaration of the existence of a health epidemic, a county-wide epidemic, or the imminent threat of an epidemic, resulting in the need for health policies that affect the entire county and the county mayor declares a state of emergency based on the county-wide health emergency, the county mayor shall, and has the exclusive authority to, establish and implement such policies under advisement from the county health director or county health officer, or both, as necessary. In a county with a county board of health or a health committee, or both, such bodies also become advisory to the county mayor.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-2-601, is amended by deleting subdivisions (f)(2) and (f)(3) and substituting instead:

(2) Through the county health director or the county health officer, or both, advise the county mayor on the enforcement of such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the commissioner essential to the control of preventable diseases and the promotion and maintenance of the general health of the county;

(3) Advise the county mayor on the adoption of rules and regulations as may be necessary or appropriate to protect the general health and safety of the citizens of the



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county. The regulations must be at least as stringent as the standard established by a state law or regulation as applicable to the same or similar subject matter; and

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-2-608(b), is amended by deleting the language "Whenever" and substituting instead the language "Except as provided by Section 1, whenever".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-2-609, is amended by deleting the language "The county health officer" and substituting instead the language "Except as provided by Section 1, the county health officer".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 145

House Bill No. 146*

by inserting the following as a new subdivision into § 71-1-124(c) in Section 1, immediately following subdivision (c)(3), and renumbering the subsequent subdivisions accordingly:

(4) The chairs of the health committee of the house of representatives and the health and welfare committee of the senate;



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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1265

House Bill No. 508*

by inserting the following new section immediately preceding the last section and renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION __. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-155(h)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting the following:

(1) Notwithstanding subsection (a), for the purposes of this section "healthcare provider" means:

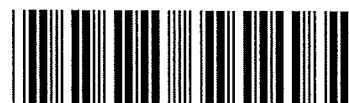
- (A) A provider licensed under this title;
- (B) A state-contracted crisis service provider that is employed by a facility licensed under title 33;
- (C) An alcohol and drug abuse counselor licensed under title 68, chapter 24, part 6; or
- (D) A graduate who has completed, or a student actively enrolled in, a professional training program the educational standards of which meet the training requirements for a license under this title or title 68, chapter 24, part 6, as long as the graduate or student:

(i) Is providing telehealth services for the purpose of obtaining hours required for licensure or of otherwise fulfilling the educational requirements to apply for licensure; and

(ii) Is, at all times, supervised by an individual who is licensed under this title or title 68, chapter 24, part 6, with an unencumbered license.



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AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting SECTION 2 and substituting the following:

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-155(g)(1), is amended by adding the following at the end of the subdivision immediately preceding the period:

or be a graduate or student meeting the requirements of subdivision (a)(1)(D)

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 101*

House Bill No. 183

by deleting the SECTION 3 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 3. For the purpose of appointing the members of the advisory committee, this act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 187

House Bill No. 13*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 5, Part 1, is amended by adding the following new section:

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b), a law enforcement agency or governmental entity of this state or a local government, or the governor or chief executive of a local government by executive order, shall not force, require, or coerce a person to receive an immunization or vaccination for COVID-19 against the person's will.

(b) This section does not apply to a healthcare facility. As used in this subsection (b), "healthcare facility" means an institution, place, or building that provides healthcare services and is required to be licensed under this title or title 33.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.



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